

The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

TREVOR KEVIN BAYLIS,

Plaintiff,

v.

VALVE CORPORATION,

Defendant.

No. 2:23-cv-01653-RSM

**[PROPOSED] ORDER
GRANTING MOTION TO
REFER COPYRIGHT
REGISTRATION QUESTIONS
TO THE REGISTER OF
COPYRIGHTS AND FOR STAY
OF PROCEEDINGS**

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on Defendant Valve Corporation's Motion to Refer Copyright Registration Questions to the Register of Copyrights and for Stay of Proceedings. The Court having considered the pleadings and records on file in the matter, including:

1. Defendant Valve Corporation's Motion to Refer Copyright Registration Questions to the Register of Copyrights and for Stay of Proceedings;
2. Plaintiff Trevor Kevin Baylis' Response, if any; and
3. Defendant's Reply, if any;

and the Court deeming itself otherwise advised in the premises, the Court HEREBY GRANTS the Motion to Refer Copyright Registration Questions to the Register of

1 Copyrights and for Stay of Proceedings. This Court will issue a request to the Register of
2 Copyrights pursuant to 17 U.S.C. § 411(b)(2) to determine whether the inaccurate statements
3 and omissions in Baylis' application, which resulted in Copyright Registration No.
4 PA0002432422, if known, would have caused the Register of Copyrights to refuse
5 registration. This case is stayed pending the referral to the Register.

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7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8 Dated this ____ day of _____, 2024.

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10 _____
11 Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this date I caused true and correct copies of the foregoing document to be served upon the following, at the addresses stated below, via the method of service indicated.

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Dated this 3rd day of April, 2024 in Seattle, Washington.

/s/ Kaila Greenberg
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